

HR 6123

Crucial Communism Teaching Act

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

Introduced: Dec 2, 2021

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Dec 2, 2021)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Salazar, Maria Elvira [R-FL-27]

Party: Republican • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** House

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| Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2] | R · AR | | Dec 2, 2021 |
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| Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13] | R · TX | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Jacobs, Chris [R-NY-27] | R · NY | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14] | R · OH | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24] | R · NY | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1] | R · CA | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11] | R · NY | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. McClain, Lisa C. [R-MI-10] | R · MI | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. McClintock, Tom [R-CA-4] | R · CA | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1] | R · WV | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Meijer, Peter [R-MI-3] | R · MI | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Miller, Mary E. [R-IL-15] | R · IL | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Miller-Meeks, Mariannette [R-IA-2] | R · IA | | Dec 2, 2021 |
| Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2] | R · WV | | Dec 2, 2021 |

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| Rep. Waltz, Michael [R-FL-6] | R · FL | | Dec 2, 2021 |
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| Rep. Kim, Young [R-CA-39] | R · CA | | Jan 13, 2022 |
| Rep. Carey, Mike [R-OH-15] | R · OH | | Jan 18, 2022 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Education and Workforce Committee | House | Referred To | Dec 2, 2021 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 117 S 3679 | Identical bill | Feb 17, 2022: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. |

Crucial Communism Teaching Act

This bill directs the Victims of Communism Memorial Foundation to develop a civic education curriculum and oral history resources for high school students to promote understanding of certain political ideologies (e.g., communism and totalitarianism) that conflict with principles of U.S. democracy.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 2, 2021:** Introduced in House
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